

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. An electric lamp comprising a light transmitting bulb, a bulb base equipped with a pair of inner terminals and a pair of outer terminals, and a linear light emitting means composed of plural filaments extended in parallel with each other between the inner terminals, in which at least one filament and the other filament are disposed oppositely to each other and shielded from each other with a light transmitting shielding plate.  
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2. The electric lamp of claim 1, in which the light transmitting shielding plate shields all imaginary lines connecting the filaments disposed oppositely to each other.  
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3. The electric lamp of claim 1, in which the linear light emitting means is composed of two filaments.
4. The electric lamp of claim 3, in which the two filaments have the same electric capacity.  
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5. The electric lamp of claim 3, in which one filament has an electric capacity less than an electric capacity of other filament.  
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6. The electric lamp of claim 5, in which the electric capacity of the former filament is 30% or more based on the electric capacity of latter filament.  
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7. The electric lamp of claim 3, in which the two filaments show the same color temperature.
8. The electric lamp of claim 3, in which one filament shows a color temperature higher than a color temperature of other filament.  
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9. The electric lamp of claim 8, in which the color temperature of the former filament is higher than the color temperature of the latter filament by 100 K or less.

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10. The electric lamp of claim 1, in which a halogen gas or a halogen compound gas is placed in the bulb.

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